Mishicot's wastewater treatment facilities

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Mishicot invites public

Sewage plant open house set

MISHICOT — An open house has been scheduled for 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday to allow the public to view the village of Mishicot's new wastewater treatment facilities.

Visitors will be able to tour both the treatment plant and related areas. The main plant is located on Saxonburg Road, ¼-mile north of Steiner Drive.

The laboratory for the facilities is located at 605 Willow Drive, Mishicot, off of Highway 147 near the local fire station. Also included in the open house is a water pump house at 904 Steiner Drive, Mishicot, at the intersection of Highway 147 and Steiner Drive.

Representatives of the village and the design engineers for the project will be on hand to answer questions.

The entire project consisted of improvements to the village's sewer and water systems, as well as design and construction of a new wastewater treatment plant. Over 10 miles of pipe was laid at a cost of nearly $1.8 million.

A new 75,000-gallon water tower was built to increase Mishicot's water storage capacity and improve water flow protection.

The treatment facility was designed to treat an average wastewater flow of 388,100 gallons per day and to serve Mishicot's population through the year 2005. Built at a cost of $500,000, the plant was partially funded with a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

Design engineers for the project were Brey, Stuewe and Braun Inc. of Manitowoc, handling the sewer and water system improvements, and Donohue of Sheboygan, handling the treatment plant.

Contractors for the sewer and water system improvements were Ronet Construction of Green Bay, involved with the outfall sewer, force main and local sewer and water; Western Underground of Brooklyn Park, Minn., working on interceptor sewer and local sewer and water; Bahr Construction of Manitowoc, working on lift stations; Wagner Brothers Well Drilling of Mt. Calvary, working on a well; Wall-Rich Construction of Manitowoc, handling the pump house and controls; and Master Tank Inc. of Sioux Falls, S.D., handling the water tower.

Contractors for the treatment plant were Cepek Construction Co. of Madison, general contractor, and R.P. Jost Co. of Cleveland, electrical contractor.